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Price, \$2 PER MONTH.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALLEN, 11 & 12, Old Bailey, London, E.C. 4.
STREET & CO., 30, Cornhill, London, E.C. 4.
GOSWELL & CO., 37, Walbrook, E.C. 4.
HENRY & CO., 150 & 151, Leadenhall Street, W. M. WILKS, 151, Leadenhall Street, E. C. 4.
PARIS AND EUROPE.—ANDRE PRINCE & Co., 30, Rue Lafayette, Paris.
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SINGAPORE, ST. PAULS, SINGAPORE & Co., Singapore.
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Banks.

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositors may deposit more than \$250 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation of fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed on deposits on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and the beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if sent to the Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book is necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
JOHN WALTER,
Acting Chief Manager,
Hongkong, June 7, 1887. 754

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$7,500,000
Reserve Fund, \$4,500,000
Reserve Liability of Pro., \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—M. GEORGE, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—G. D. BORTON, Esq.
H. H. BELL, Esq.
W. H. F. DAVIS, Esq.
H. J. L. DUNN, Esq.
Hon. F. D. SASSOON, Esq.
W. H. FORBES, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.
HONGKONG.—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
Acting Chief Manager.—JOHN WALTER, Esq.
MANAGER.
SHANGHAI.—EVEN CAMERON, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Deposit, Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " " "
" 12 " 5 " " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Draws granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

JOHN WALTER,
Acting Chief Manager.
Hongkong, July 18, 1887. 363

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE is hereby given that the BUSINESS of GENERAL STORE-KEEPERS and COMMISSION AGENTS, previously carried on at FOOCHOW, in the Empire of China, under the Firm or Chop of HOK LEE HONG & Co., by TONG AN HOK and TAN KIN SENG in Co-partnership, was DISSOLVED on the 6th day of January, 1887, and the Responsibility of the said TAN KIN SENG for any DEBT or LIABILITY incurred by the said Firm or Chop terminated on the 6th day of January, 1887.

HOK LEE & Co.,
Foonchow.
Singapore, 17th May, 1887.

WITH Reference to the above, I, TONG AN HOK, of Foonchow, beg to notify the Public that the BUSINESS of the HOK LEE HONG & Co. as GENERAL STORE-KEEPERS and COMMISSION AGENTS, is now being carried on at Foonchow as heretofore by TAM KIM CHING, of Singapore, Merchant, and myself under the Style of HOK LEE HONG & Co. and that I hold a Power of Attorney from the said TAM KIM CHING as his Agent individually and also as a Partner in the said Firm, to transact all matters connected with the Business of the Firm at Foonchow.

TONG AN HOK
Hongkong, June 1, 1887. 1047

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE Agency at this Port of Messrs. CALDERBROOK MACGREGOR & Co., Shanghai, has This Day been Transferred to Mr. ALEXANDER LEVY.
E. JONES HUGHES.

WITH Reference to the above Notice, I have This Day assumed CHARGE of the BUSINESS at this Port of Messrs. CALDERBROOK MACGREGOR & Co., WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANTS, Shanghai.
ALEXANDER LEVY.
Hongkong, June 30, 1887. 1240

Intimations.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1165.

A Regular Meeting of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE-MASONS' HALL, Eddard Street, THIS EVENING, the 16th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
Hongkong, August 16, 1887. 1622

NOTICE.

THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.
A MEETING of the CONSULTING COMMITTEE held This Day, an INTERIM DIVIDEND of 5 PER CENT. for the half year ending 30th JUNE, 1887, on the Paid-up Capital of the Company, was declared, and the same will be paid on the 31st August, to Shareholders on the register on the 18th Instant.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st August, both days inclusive.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers,
Hongkong, August 13, 1887. 1540

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, PRINCE OF WALES STREET, on MONDAY, the 29th Instant, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1887.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 29th August, both days inclusive.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, August 11, 1887. 1515

HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.
OFFICE: No. 5, QUEEN'S ROAD.

FIRE BRICKS OF SUPERIOR QUALITY FOR SALE.
PRICE, \$30 PER 1,000.

The following Testimonial has been received from F. W. CROSS, Esq., Manager, HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED:—
"I have herewith much pleasure in testifying to the quality of the Fire Bricks made by you at your new works."

In appearance the Brick is light and soft as compared with the ordinary Fire Brick used in the Colony, but this I may say is characteristic of the best English Fire Brick.

After a very severe test I have no hesitation in saying that this Brick is admirably suited to resist any degree of heat that may be brought to bear upon it, and for all purposes that Fire Bricks are used for.
I am now about to build them into one of my Furnaces, and have no doubt of their being able to stand as well as the English Fire Bricks I have been using."

HONGKONG, MAY 23, 1887. 991

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE Twenty-First Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 5th Proximo, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, and of electing Dividends.

The Transfer-BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 23rd Instant to the 5th Proximo, both days inclusive.
By Order,
A. S. GARFIE,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, August 13, 1887. 1530

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.
MODERATE FEES.
MR. WONG TAI-PONG,
Surgeon Dentist,
(Formerly Attached to the British and LANCETRY ASSISTANT to Dr. ROBERTS.)
At the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROBERTS.

No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.
CONSULTATION FREE.
Discontinue to missionaries and families.
Sole Address.
DUDDELL STREET,
(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)
Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 64

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are SOLE AGENTS for Hongkong and Macao for the Sale of THE MONTSEERAT LIME JUICE, AND THE MONTSEERAT LIME JUICE CORDIALS.
A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd.
Hongkong, May 3, 1887. 994

Business Notices.

LANE CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

A NEW STOCK OF HINKS' PATENT DUPLEX TABLE, BRACKET, and SUSPENSION LAMPS.

MAISON'S PATENT INDESTRUCTIBLE METRE RAPIDE (for which L. C. & Co. are Sole Agents) price \$6.00.

MEERSCHAUM and BRIAR PIPES and CIGAR HOLDERS, from 50 Cents upwards.

Also,

A FRESH ASSORTMENT OF TERAI AND STRAW HATS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, August 6, 1887. 1478

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbor and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Office (including the Post Office, Banks, &c.), has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large Dining Hall.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Proprietors.
Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1612

STAG HOTEL,

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.
J. COOK, Proprietor.

THE HOTEL is CENTRALLY SITUATED and WITHIN A FEW MINUTES' WALK FROM THE PRINCIPAL LANDING PLACES.

GOOD ACCOMMODATION FOR VISITORS.
CHARGES MODERATE.
Tiffin at 1 o'clock. DINNER at 7.30.

WELL VENTILATED BILLIARD ROOM.

Tiffin 50 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENTS.
WINE, SPIRITS and MALT LIQUORS of the VERY BEST QUALITY ONLY.
Hongkong, April 1, 1887. 607

W. POWELL & Co.

TENNIS DRESS MATERIALS.
MAHARANA STRIPES.
(A New Dress Material for Autumn-Winter 1887-88, 100 Yards.)
CHILDREN'S TENNIS SHOES, from \$1.00 per Pair.

INDIA-LONG CLOTHS.
White VICTORIA LAWNS.
Gentlemen's Black and Coloured Felt Hats.

HELMETS and TERAI HATS.
Victoria Exchange, July 20, 1887.
(TELEPHONE 21). 1308

ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters,
QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

BE LATE ARRIVALS.

OUR SPRING STOCK OF

GENTLEMEN'S SHIRTS and COLLARS

UNDERVESTS,
PANTS and HALF-HOSE.

BOOTS and SHOES.

CHRISTY'S FELT, TERAI and STRAW HATS.

UMBRELLAS,
HANDKERCHIEFS, &c.
Hongkong, April 6, 1887. 644

Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CURRY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of August, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1887.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
JOHN WALTER,
Acting Chief Manager.
Hongkong, August 8, 1887. 1492

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 27th day of August current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
JOHN WALTER,
Acting Chief Manager.
Hongkong, August 8, 1887. 1493

WANTED.

A EUROPEAN WOMAN, to take charge of Three Children, 8, 6 and 4 years of age.
Apply to "A-B-C," care of China Mail Office.
Hongkong, August 1, 1887. 1439

Intimations.

CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co.,

Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers,
Jewellers, Gold & Silver Smiths,
NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC and METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VORRAN'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES.
RITCHIE'S LIQUID and OTHER COMPASSES.
ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware.
Christofle & Co.'s Electro-Plated Ware.
GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.

DIAMONDS.

DIAMOND JEWELLERY.
A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 222

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that the arrival of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, PRINCE CENTRAL, will receive prompt attention.

In the event of complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Foremen is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, August 25, 1885. 1458

Auctions.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY,

the 29th August, at 5 o'clock p.m., on the Spot,
No. 8, ALBANY ROAD, known as "NORMAN COTTAGE,"

being the Remaining Portion of INLAND LOT No. 648, with the BUILDINGS thereon, comprising an area of about 17,916 square feet. Subject to the present Tenancy, the Tenant to receive not less than 3 months' notice to quit. Crown Rent, \$13.64 per annum.

For further Particulars, apply to H. N. MODY, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, August 12, 1887. 1625

THE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

OF 50 BALES BOMBAY COTTON YARN, AND 1 CHEST PERSIAN OPIUM, Ex Steamship Kaitang, was, on account of the inclement weather To-day, POSTPONED until Further Notice.

H. N. MODY, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, August 15, 1887. 1649

FOR SALE.

JULES MUM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts.....\$20 per Case of 1 doz. Pints....."21 " " " 2 " Dubouche & de Gournay & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS and WHITE WINES.

Baxter's Celebrated "Bibby Brand" WHISKY, 87½ per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

To Let.

With Immediate Possession.

SUITE of ROOMS fronting the Praya and Pedder Street upon the Ground Floor of Building recently occupied by Messrs. MICHENER & Co.

These Premises are well adapted for OFFICES or STORES.

BISNÉE VILLA, POKEPONG, Apply to SHARP & Co., Estate Agents, Marine House.
Hongkong, August 1, 1887. 1443

TO BE LET.

A VERY COMFORTABLE FURNISHED HOUSE, Commanding extensive Sea View, and very Cool in Summer.

Apply at THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
Hongkong, June 16, 1887. 868

TO LET.

ROOMS in "COLLEGE CHAMBERS," Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, May 25, 1887. 704

TO LET.

(With Early Possession.) THE DESIRABLE RESIDENCE "GREEN MOUNT," Situated on the BONGHAI ROAD. Apply to GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, March 17, 1887. 488

TO BE LET.

TWO STORIED GODOWNS, between Mowat, Bait & Co.'s and Messrs. CARLOWAY & Co.'s Premises, Duddell Street.

Apply to BELILIES & Co., Hongkong, August 9, 1887. 1490

Shipping.

Steamers.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Glenaw, Captain JACOBUS, will be despatched as above on or about the 19th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, August 11, 1887. 1511

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI and KOBE.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Thetis will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, 26th August, at 4 p.m.

E. L. WOODIN, Acting Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.
Hongkong, August 12, 1887. 1637

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Erin will leave for the above places about 24 hours after her arrival with the next English Mail.

E. L. WOODIN, Acting Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.
Hongkong, August 13, 1887. 1636

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Namoy, Capt. GODDARD, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 17th Inst., at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, August 15, 1887. 1548

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Lucania, Captain SCOTT, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 17th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, August 16, 1887. 1647

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship Taitung, Captain DAVIES, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 19th Instant, at 3 p.m.

Accommodation, Special first-class, constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, August 12, 1887. 1520

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Belcheron, Capt. GUTHRIE, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 19th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, August 12, 1887. 1519

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Taitung, Captain DAVIES, will be despatched for SINGAPORE & CALCUTTA on SATURDAY, the 20th Instant, at Daylight.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, August 15, 1887. 1512

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Yangtze, Captain DAVIES, will be despatched for SHANGHAI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA shortly after her arrival from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, August 11, 1887. 1513

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN, and taking through cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, August 15, 1887. 1512

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Yangtze, Captain DAVIES, will be despatched for SHANGHAI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA shortly after her arrival from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, August 11, 1887. 1513

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COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Yangtze, Captain DAVIES, will be despatched for SHANGHAI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA shortly after her arrival from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, August 11, 1887. 1513

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COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Yangtze, Captain DAVIES, will be despatched for SHANGHAI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA shortly after her arrival from

Mails.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship **SAN PABLO** will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 20th August, at 3 p.m. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full, and name will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

First-class Fare granted as follows:—
To San Francisco ... \$500.00
To San Francisco and return, ... 350.00
To Liverpool ... 335.00
To London ... 340.00
To other European ports at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10%. This discount does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, August 12, 1887. 1493

CANADIAN PACIFIC LINE.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE, VIA THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.

THE British Steamship **BATAVIA**, 533 Tons, Register, Port, Commanded by J. B. van der Kolk, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., via Kobe and YOKOHAMA, on FRIDAY, the 26th August, at 3 p.m.

These steamers, formerly in the CUNARD Service, lately received new Engines and Boilers, and can maintain a speed at sea of from 13 to 14 knots.

Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan. Ports, and at Vancouver with San Francisco by the regular Steamers of the Company.

The attention of through passengers is drawn to the fact of the Canadian Pacific Railway being the best built and most splendidly equipped line ever constructed on the American Continent, and specially adapted for Summer travelling.

Consular Invoices for Goods to United States points should be made out in quadruplicate, and addressed to Mr. D. E. Brown, District Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C., and sent to us.

Freight will be received on board until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. For information as to Passage or Freight, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 5, 1887. 1471

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship **CITY OF SYDNEY** will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama and Honolulu, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st August, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

First-class Fare granted as follows:—
To San Francisco ... \$200.00
To San Francisco and return, ... 350.00
To Liverpool ... 335.00
To London ... 340.00

To other European ports at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10%. This discount does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Packages should be marked to address in full, value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, August 12, 1887. 1387

NOW READY.

PRICE, \$1.00.

COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW BY E. H. PARKER.

Can be obtained from KELLY & WATSON at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, OBEY & Co., Hongkong, and at the China Mail Office.

Mails.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEROT'S POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ,

PORT SAID,

MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK

SEA PORTS,

MARSEILLES, AND PORTS

OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA.

LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX,

DUNKIRK AND ANTWERP.

ON THURSDAY, the 18th of August, at Noon, the Company's Steamship **AV4**, Commandant VINCENT, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until 4 p.m. will be received on board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 17th August. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Company's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, August 5, 1887. 1472

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,

ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

MALTA, MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR,

BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE,

TRIESTE, AND LONDON.

ALSO,

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills

of Lading to BATAVIA, PERISIAN,

GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES,

TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK

AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship

PEKIN, Captain A. Symonds, with

Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched

from this Port LONDON direct, via SUEZ

CANAL, and usual Ports of Call, on

THURSDAY, 25th August, at 4 p.m.

Cargo will be received on board until

10 a.m. on the day of sailing. Passen-

gers and Specie (Gold) at the Office

until Noon on the day of sailing.

For further Particulars regarding

FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVI-

GATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are

required to be declared prior to shipment.

Shippers are particularly requested to

note the terms and conditions of the Com-

pany's Bill of Lading.

Passengers desirous of insuring their

baggage can do so on application at the Com-

pany's Office.

E. L. WOODIN,

Acting Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, August 13, 1887. 1538

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN,

SUEZ, PORT SAID, TRIESTE,

BRINDISI, GENOA,

ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG,

PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK

SEA & BALTIC PORTS;

ALSO,

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON,

BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS,

GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN

PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL

AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS

AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills

of Lading for the principal places in

RUSSIA.

ON THURSDAY, the 1st of September, the

Company's Steamship **BYRON**, Captain SANDER,

with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,

and CARGO, will leave this Port as above,

calling at GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted un-

til 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3

p.m. on the 31st August. (Parcels are

not to be sent on board; they must be

left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and

Value of Packages are required.

The Steamers have splendid Accommodation

and carry a Doctor and Stewards.

For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 8, 1887. 1489

SUMMER TIME TABLE.

THE KOWLOON FERRY.

STEAM LAUNCH

MOENING STAR

Runs Daily as a FERRY BOAT between

Poddar's Wharf and Tsim-Tsu-Tai at the

following hours:—This Time Table will

take effect from the 15th April, 1887.

WEEK DAYS. SUNDAYS.

6.00 A.M. 7.00 A.M. 8.00 A.M. 9.00 A.M.

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